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## BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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| In the Matter of                         | ) |          |
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| David Hale for Congress and David Hale   | ) | MUR 6778 |
| as treasurer: Dismissal and Case Closure | ) |          |
| (EPS)                                    | ) |          |

## **CERTIFICATION**

I, Shawn Woodhead Werth, Secretary and Clerk of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on October 22, 2015, the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in MUR 6778:

- 1. Dismiss the allegation that David Hale for Congress and David Hale in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30120(a)(1) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.11(c)(2), as a matter of prosecutorial discretion pursuant to *Heckler v. Chaney*, 470 U.S. 821 (1985).
- Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated September 30, 2015, and the appropriate letters.
- 3. Close the file.

Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

Shawn Woodhead Werth

Secretary and Clerk of the Commission